

Armstrong, J. T.

2 letters, 2 dates, 1 envelope

April 3, 1892

April 7, 1892

J. G. Purvis & Co.

Lumber Dealers.

Butler, Pa. ¹Sept 3, 1897.

Wm J. H. ^{and} H. Chapman
Price St., And

Dear Sirs—

I am trying to improve a
collection of silver fifty cent pieces and,
through Mr. Cleland, I learned that you
are a dealer in old coin, and I
write you to find out if you have
any uncirculated 50¢ pc. in the as
follows, and ^{what} they are worth

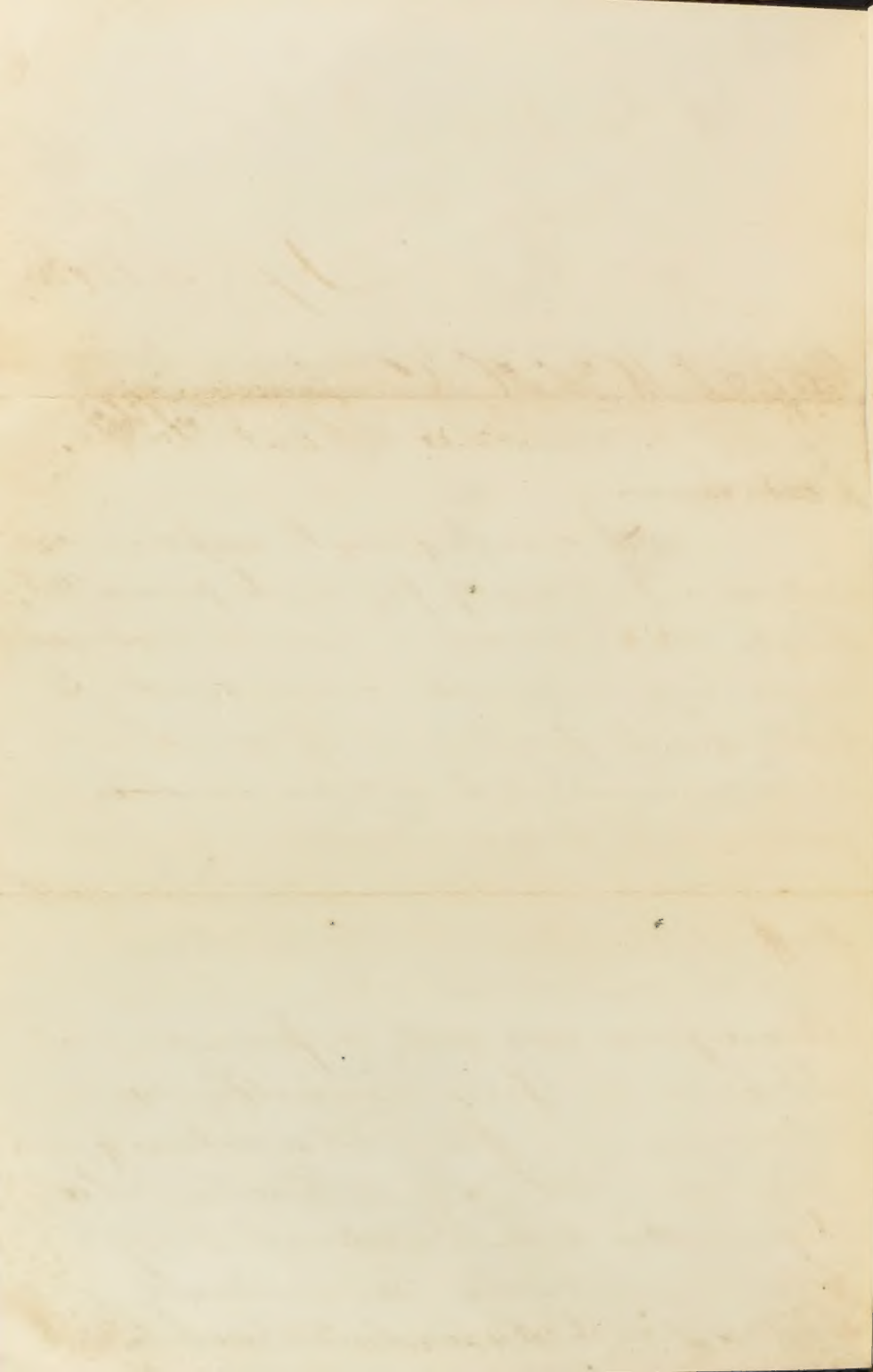
1857-1865-1866-1867-1871-72-73-737
proof 1878-79-1885-1887-1889.

Please favor me with a prompt and
oblique.

Yours Respectfully.

Jas. T. Armstrong,
Butler, Pa

Reference— D. L. Cleland,
Butler Savings Bank.
Butler County National Bank.



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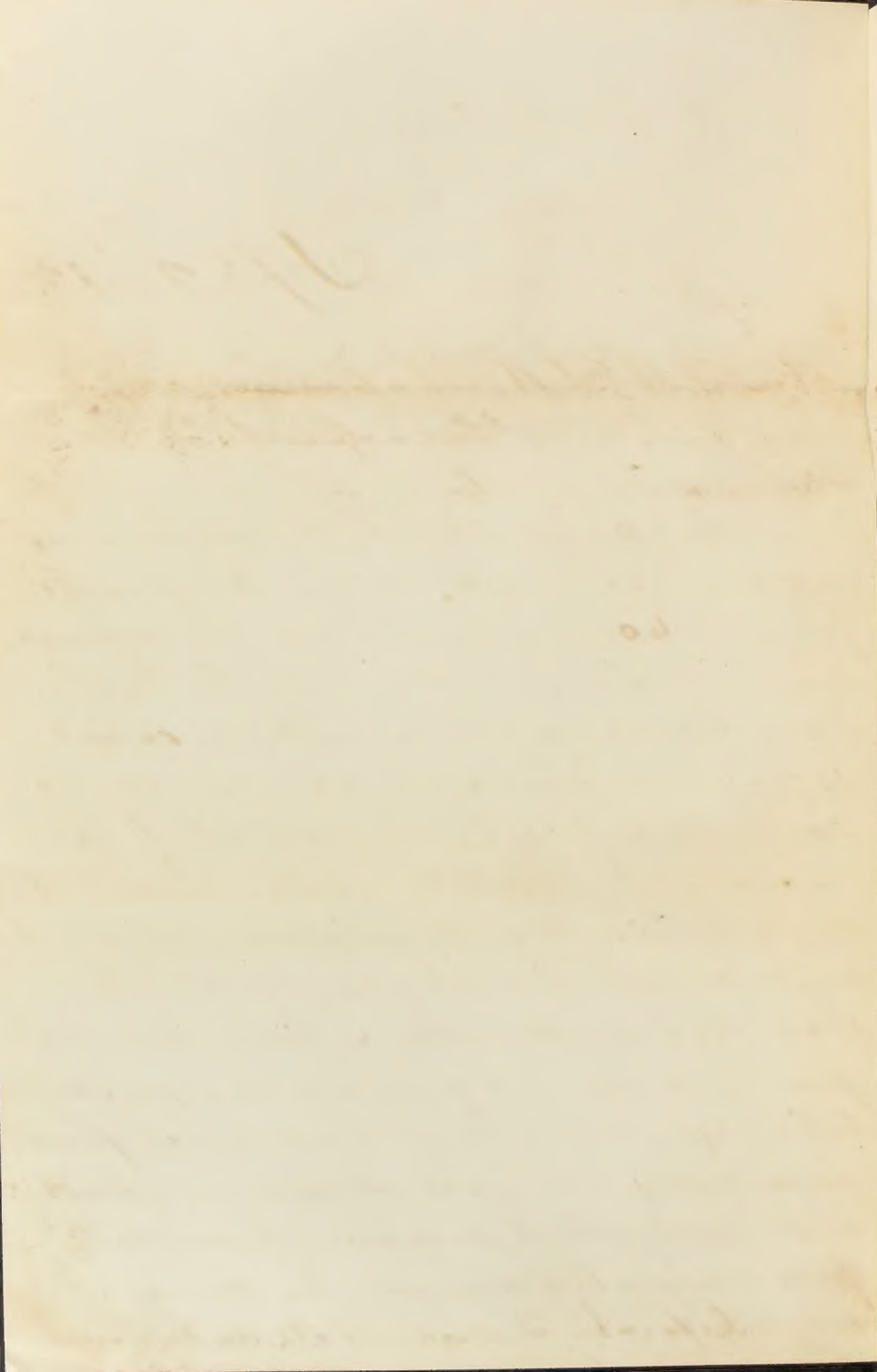
Lumber Dealers.

Butler, Pa. Sept 7 '97

Miss S. A. and H. Chapman,
Philadelphia, Pa.

Gentlemen:-

I would like to make my collection of 1/2 dol. brilliant proofs from 1860 if I can and the expense is not too great. In order to do this I would need all of the sixties, and 1870-71-72-73-74-75-76-77-1885-87-89. From 1840 to 1860 - I would like to have uncirculated. The dates earlier than that which I have are barely circulated with mint bloom - I need, also, 1801-1802 - 1803 - 1805-1805 (for date) - I have these last five here on approval from another party. but if you have them and would forward immediately, it would oblige me greatly as I would like to compare them - state price always - As regards the coin named first I am not in so much



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of a hurry for, but would like to know positively how far back I can go in making up my proofs and the cost. I am not sure from reading your card four of the 5th that you have what you name there or whether that is the price that would prevail in case you had there when you made an examination.

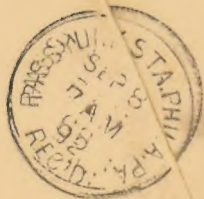
Now, I am quite anxious about the 1801-2-3-5 & 5000 and if you have any doubts about sending them to me personally or approval you may send them to the firm for whom I am head bookkeeper, but I would like to see them promptly if you have them, as I don't want to detain others of same date that I have any longer than possible.

Yours Truly, J. S. Thompson.

I am with the firm of
S. J. Purvis & Co.

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Return to S. G. PURVIS & CO.,
BUTLER, Pa.,
If not delivered within 10 days.



Wm. A. Chapman
Philadelphia,
Pa.
1348 Pine St.

Amstrong, J. J.

April 26, 1892

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S. G. Purvis & Co.

Lumber Dealers.

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Messrs. S. A. & A. Chapman,
Philadelphia, Pa.

Gentlemen:-

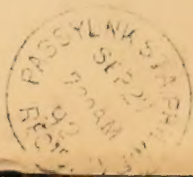
Enclosed please find
N. Y. draft for \$6 ⁵¹/₁₀₀ to pay for
last bills of coin. The '39 pleased
me and I wish you would be on the
look out for the others I have mentioned
when you run across any as good as
the '39. If I had a '67 business
proof I would then have all proofs
from '59 to '92 inclusive. So you
see I am anxious about it. I need
a '52 uncirculated.

Please accept thanks for your
prompt attention.

Yours Very Truly,
J. T. Armstrong.

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1348 Pine St.,
Philadelphia, Pa.

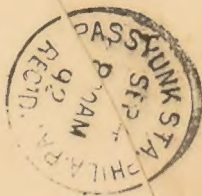
Armstrong, J. T.

September 5, 1892
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Rep. J. H. A. Chapman
Philadelphia.
Pine St Pa

Amsstrong, J. T.

September 14, 1892

S. G. Purvis & Co.

Lumber Dealers.

Butler, Pa. Sept 14, '92.

Wm. H. & H. Chapman

1348 Pine St. Phila.

Gentlemen:

Enclosed please find
N. Y. draft for 27⁹⁵ to cover my
selection of coin from those you sent
me. The balance I return by Adams
Express today. I wish you would re-
member that I need the following coin
in proof 1870-4873-1879-1867-1868-1869.
and forward them to me when you
get them. Your older coin you sent
me is very nice, but unfortunately for
you I did not need any of them ex-
cept the 1801 or 1802 and these I got
in very nice condition, but not so good
as yours, for considerable less money.
Thanking you for your very prompt
attention, I remain. Yours Truly,
J. Armstrong

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Return to S. G. PURVIS & CO.,
BUTLER, Pa.,
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Miss J. A. & A. Chapman,
1348 Pine Street
Philadelphia, Pa.

Armstrong, J. I.

September 20, 1892

You have other coin that I will make
about later

J. G. Purvis & Co.

Lumber Dealers.

Butler, Pa. Sept 20 97

Messrs. S. H. & H. Chapman,
Philadelphia Pa.
Gentlemen:-

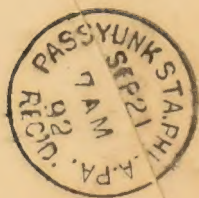
I returned to you via
Adams Express coins I did not keep
and sent N.Y. draft to pay for those
I did keep, and I have received
no notice that you recd either the
coins or the draft and whether or not
your deal with me was satisfactory.
Please advise me.

I wish you would bear in mind
that I need the following proof 1/2 dollar
yet. 1867-1868-1869-1870-1873-1874.
Also uncirculated or at least extremely fine:
1845-1846-1847 Small date and I
would also like to have the four 1839's
uncirculated or nearly so. What prospect have
I of getting any of these soon from you?

Yours truly, J. T. Armstrong.

Armstrong

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BUTLER, Pa.,

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Wm. S. H. and A. Chapman.
1348 Pine Street.
Philadelphia, Pa.

Armstrong, J. T.

October 5, 1892
envelope
empty

Arresting

Aug. 3 10/3/92



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Wm. A. H. & H. Chapman
1348 Pine Street
Philadelphia
Pa.